

## ABSTRACT

[0074] The details of an apparatus and method for handling cell update during reconfiguration in universal mobile telecommunications system user equipment are disclosed herein. When a UE receives a Reconfiguration request from a UTRAN, it sets an activation time for execution of the reconfiguration. Where a cell update is  
5 required before the reconfiguration has been applied, the UE cancels the reconfiguration and proceeds with the cell update.